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- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 03/09/2001
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 03/09/2001
- Small Entity Statement filed on 03/09/2001
- Copy of references cited in ISR filed on 03/09/2001
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- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
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